

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-08

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FM AMCONSUL FLORENCE  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1857

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EXCON  
E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: ESTC, IT  
SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR A.P.L. EXPORT TRANSACTION CHECK  
REF: STATE 272469

1. PALANDRI S.P.A. HAS ITS ADMINISTRATIVE SEAT AT VIA M. NISTRI  
37, 50047 PRATO. ITS ACTUAL BUSINESS ADDRESS IS AT VIA DINO  
CIOLLI, 50041 CALENZANO (FIRENZE), ITALY. TELEPHONE: 055/8877474.  
COMPANY IS IMPORTER, AGENT, WHOLESALER AND RETAILER OF TEXTILE  
MACHINERY AND OF ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT (TELEVISION AND RADIO  
EQUIPMENT, TAPE RECORDERS, ETC.). COMPANY IS ALSO OWNER AND OPERATOR  
OF A WELL KNOWN PRIVATE TELEVISION BROADCASTING STATION NAMED  
"TELETOSCANA ONE" WHICH IS LOCATED AT THE COMPANY S BUSINESS ADDRESS.  
TELETOSCANA RETRANSMITS SELECTED TV BROADCASTS FROM YUGOSLAVIA TO  
ITALY. MAJOR STOCKHOLDER OF PALANDRI S.P.A. IS MRS. ALESSANDRA  
PALANDRI, AND GENERAL MANAGER IS MR. NICOLA PRESTOPINO. LOCAL  
CREDIT AND OTHER SOURCES REPORT THAT COMPANY IS AN ABSOLUTELY SAFE  
CONTACT.  
2. MR. PRESTOPINO HAS GIVEN HIS PERSONAL ASSURANCE THAT THE REQUESTED  
ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT (A TIME BASE CORRECTOR) IS FOR COMPANY S OWN  
USE IN ITS TV BROADCASTING STATION.  
3. INFORMATION AVAILABLE TO CONSULATE INDICATES THAT PALANDRI S.P.A.  
IS A RELIABLE END-USER. BASED ON THESE ASSURANCES AND THE REPUTATION  
OF THE FIRM INVOLVED, THE CONSULATE RECOMMENDS A FAVOURABLE  
DETERMINATION ON THE FIRM'S ACCEPTABILITY AS A RECIPIENT OF

SENSITIVE U.S. EQUIPMENT.  
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